AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE TO H.R. 2359

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Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1	SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
2	This Act may be cited as the "Whole Veteran Act".
3	SEC. 2. REPORT ON DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
4	ADVANCING OF WHOLE HEALTH TRANS-
5	FORMATION.
6	(a) REPORT.—Not later than 180 days after the date
7	of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Veterans
8	Affairs shall submit to Congress a report on the implemen-
9	tation of the Department of Veterans Affairs memo-
10	randum dated February 1, 2019, on the subject of Ad-
11	vancing Whole Health Transformation Across Veterans
12	Health Administration.
13	(b) MATTERS INCLUDED.—The report under sub-
14	section (a) shall include the following:
15	(1) An analysis of the accessibility and avail-
16	ability of each of the following services at medical
17	facilities of the Department of Veterans Affairs (in-

1	cluding community based outpatient clinics, vet cen-
2	ters, and community living centers):
3	(A) Massage.
4	(B) Chiropractic services.
5	(C) Whole health clinician services.
6	(D) Whole health coaching.
7	(E) Acupuncture.
8	(F) Healing touch.
9	(G) Whole health group services.
10	(H) Guided imagery.
11	(I) Meditation.
12	(J) Hypnosis.
13	(K) Yoga.
14	(L) Tai chi or Qi gong.
15	(M) Any other service the Secretary deter-
16	mines appropriate.
17	(2) An assessment of the health outcomes de-
18	rived from the services specified in paragraph (1).
19	(3) An assessment of the resources required to
20	expand such services to the entire Veterans Health
21	Administration.

